

**BP 4260 PREREQUISITES, CO-REQUISITES, AND ADVISORIES**

**References:**

Title 5 Sections 55000 and 55003

College of Marin affirms that students are entitled to pursue intellectual, physical, social, ethical, and career development, and that prerequisites, co-requisites, advisories and certain enrollment limits should be established only in accordance with the standards set out in Title 5 that provide for the establishment, review, and challenge of course requirements.

The Superintendent/President is authorized to establish prerequisites, co-requisites, and advisories regarding recommended preparation for courses in the curriculum and will rely primarily on the Academic Senate. All such prerequisites, co-requisites, and advisories shall be established in accordance with the standards set out in Title 5. Any prerequisites, co-requisites, or advisories shall be necessary and appropriate for achieving the purpose for which they are established. The procedures shall include a way in which a prerequisite or co-requisite may be challenged by a student on grounds permitted by law. Prerequisites, co-requisites, and advisories shall be identified in District publications available to students.

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